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For **METHODS AND SYSTEMS FOR
PERFORMING SECURITY RISK ASSESSMENTS
OF INTERNET MERCHANT ENTITIES**

Art Unit 2431

Examiner Syed Zia

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the last decision of the examiner.

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